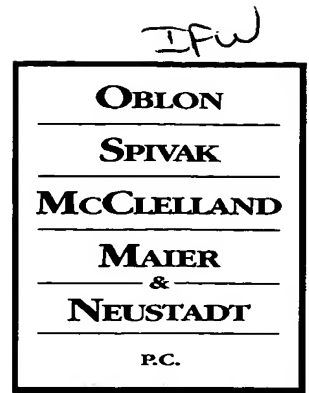




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SIR:

Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312 (7 pp.)

Our check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached covering any required fees. In the event any variance exists between the amount enclosed and the Patent Office charges for filing the above-noted documents, including any fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for any necessary Extension of Time to make the filing of the attached documents timely, please charge or credit the difference to our Deposit Account No. 15-0030. Further, if these papers are not considered timely filed, then a petition is hereby made under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 for the necessary extension of time. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Responsive to the Notice of Allowance of September 21, 2005, Applicants
respectfully request entry of the following amendment under 37 C.F.R. § 1.312.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on
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Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.